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BIRTHS LEAD BY 45 DURING AUGUST

ONLY 16 DEATHS RECORDED BY HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

MAKE 63 INSPECTIONS

Demonstrations are Given—Talks Delivered to Teachers, School Directors and at Chautauqua.

Births exceeded deaths in Nodaway County during the month of August by forty-five. There were sixty-one births and sixteen deaths reported to the Nodaway County Health Department for the previous month.

The reportable diseases were lower for August than for July. The number of diseases reported are: scarlet fever, 3; diphtheria, 2; typhoid fever, 1; and one death from tuberculosis of lungs.

Miss Ethel Ray of the Health Department said that the activities for August varied considerably more than for the other month. In the educational activities four lectures were delivered and 1,000 bulletins distributed. The Health Department made 63 sanitary inspections of schools, churches and stores. Twelve hundred cows were tuberculin tested. The number of sanitary inspections took up a considerable of the time of the Health Repartment as shown by the number of inspections, exceeding the month previous by fifty-three.

The nurses of the Health Department held twenty-three meetings of home hygiene class and four little mother classes. They gave a demonstration in hand washing drill and one hot lunch demonstration.

Other than class work, talks were made to 300 teachers; at the Sheridan chautauqua where 100 attended; to Nodaway County school directors meeting with 200 in attendance; and to Holt County teachers where 100 attended.

Constitutional Election To Be Held in December

Committees At Work Preparing For Balloting

Jefferson City, Sept. 18—The special election for the amendments to the constitution evolved by the convention probably will be held between Dec. 15 and Christmas, although a definite date cannot be fixed until the convention reassembles Oct. 2. Apparently there are yet many incongruities to be straightened out by the convention.

A sub-committee is preparing a ballot form which it hopes will present the amendments to the voters in as simple and concise a form as possible. Another sub-committee is preparing to advertise the amendments in all state newspapers. The total cost will approximate $125,000.

Passage of the soldier bonus bond proposition for $4,600,000 to compete payment of bonus claims would make the money available early in February.

High School History Club Elects Officers

The history club of the high school elected its officers this morning for the 1923-24 term. Stuart Tulloch was chosen president, Raymond Gartin, vice-president; and Mildred Wallace, secretary.

The members of the history club are striving to build up an organization that will be educational and at the same time create in the minds of the members a greater interest in history and social conditions as well as afford some pleasure. Speakers will be obtained every few weeks and the remainder of the time will be spent in debating various topics, showing lantern slides and general programs.

The president appointed Esther Hull, Martha Pennisten and Ralph Dowden to prepare the program for the next meeting. A group consisting of the officers and Burdette Yeo are to meet Thursday to draw up a constitution.

The history club is an outgrowth of the efforts of the history teacher, Miss Bertha Northcutt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moran and son, M. G. of St. Joseph are visiting at the home of Mrs. Moran's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mahoney and with other relatives.

Mrs. Bess Thorp and children are moving today from 114 North Short street to the former Saunders residence at 303 West Fourth street.

Two Fords Collide on West Fourth Street

Sedan In Service a Week—No One Injured But Cars Are Badly Damaged

The service car of the Barmann Auto Co. and a new Ford sedan of 358, Knox taxi cab company, collided about 9:15 o'clock this morning on West Fourth street in the block below Buchanan street.

The taxi car, driven by Earl Eisenman, was going west and the Barmann Ford truck, driven by Arson Sells, was going east, both of them at a moderate rate of speed. Neither of the drivers were injured but both of the cars were considerably damaged.

On the Ford sedan, which has only been in service about a week, both the wheels on the left side were pushed in and the front fender bent. The left front wheel on the truck was smashed, the spindles being torn out of the wheel.

NODAWAY COUNTY OVERSCRIBES QUOTA

$1053.60 IS SUBMITTED UP TO PRESENT TIME

MARYVILLE GIVES $812

$297.65 Received Today—Campaign Will Not Close Until Every District Is Heard From

Nodaway County exceeded its quota of $1,000 in the drive for the Japanese Disaster Relief fund this morning when the total amount reported to W. N. Deatherage, was $1053.60, the campaign being under the supervision of the American Red Cross of this county. As yet not all of the towns in the county have reported so it is expected that the fund will be increased.

Maryville nearly doubled its quota of $486, when it was reported this morning that about eight hundred and ten dollars had been contributed in the city.

Besides Maryville the following towns have remitted to Mr. Deatherage up to date the sums below:

Conception, $12.50.
Graham, $27.00.
Ravenwood, $17.90.
Skidmore, $42.50.
Pickering, $25.00.
Conception Junction, $28.25.
Hopkins, $53.00.
Parnell, $35.00.

At 1:30 o'clock this afternoon Elmo Clearmont, Wilcox, Burlington Junction, Barnard, Guilford, Quitman Clyde and Arkoe had not sent in their remittances.

Mr. Deatherage has sent into headquarters of the Japanese Relief all but $297.65 which he received this morning. Although Nodaway has oversubscribed her quota the campaign will not end until all the contributions have been cleaned up and every town in the county heard from.

The national goal, which was set at $5,000,000 has been passed. It was only a week after the campaign started that United States had oversubscribed the quota. The money which Nodaway County subscribed to the Japanese Relief Fund goes to buy supplies that are sent from this country to Japan. Several boats have already been loaded and are on the way to the devastatedisland. Such commodities as flour, condensed milk, fish, blankets, clothes, drugs, hardtack and lumber are included in the relief cargoes that will reach Japan.

Maryville.

Rodney F. Hamblin, James B. Robinson, Betty Turner, Farmers Trust Co., Ira K. Alderman, M. G. Tate, Rev. C. C. James, W. N. Deatherage, A. K. Frank, Nora Ritze, Emma Lehmer, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Welling, Mitchell Welling, M. S. Hamilton, Mrs. J. C. Curfman, First National Bank and Gilliam-Jackson Loan & Title Co., Graham Stors Co., Corwin-Murrin Clo. Co., Kuehs Bros., Price Furniture Co., Travis-Chevrolet Co., William Everhart, Dr. R. C. Person.

Maryville Electric Light & Power Co., D. E. Hotchkin, H. L. Raines, N. C. Case, Grant Trusty, Price & Null, Mrs. Maude M. Hamblen, W. A. White, Mrs. O. C. Hanna, G. R. Murray, Mrs. L. R. Holt, Mrs. Omar Catterson, Englemann Greenhouses, Mrs. Jennie Bantz, Mrs. W. T. Garrett, C. E. Wells, Estelle Hellmers, C. C. Hellmers, Mrs. J. C. Archer, J. C. Archer, A friend, Rev. Father Lawrence, Mrs. Mary Hill, Prof. Harry A. Miller, F. C. Miller,

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MISS FRANKEN TO SUPERVISE CLASSES

WILL CO-OPERATE WITH TEACHER TRAINING HIGH SCHOOLS.

TO IMPROVE QUALITY

Miss Franken Will Supervise From Teaching Point of View—To Start Immediately.

Miss Katherine Franken will be the representative of the Maryville S. T. C. in the co-operative plan of the department of education of Missouri for state supervision of the teaching of the teacher training work in the high schools throughout the state. The plan is to have a field agent from each of the five State Teachers College and for them to supervise from the teaching point of view.

The purpose of the plan as explained by Uel W. Lamkin, president of S. T. C., is for an endeavor to improve the quality of teaching throughout the state. Miss Franken as the local representative will work in the town schools. She will first visit the teachers' training department of the school and will then assist and co-operate with the grade teachers in their work. Mr. Lamkin explained that the local College is not responsible for the state inspection which will continue as before and are merely doing the work in a co-operative manner. There are twenty-four high schools in the state that have the teachers' training work in their regular curricula.

The following persons have been selected by the teachers' colleges for this work: Miss Katherine Franken of Maryville; C. B. Hudson, Warrensburg; A. S. Boucher, Cape Girardeau; Miss Elizabeth Bragg, Springfield.

The teachers' college of Kirksville will furnish the following five, each devoting part time: William H. Ziegel, H. G. Swanson, S. E. Smith, Ethel Hook, and Felix Rothchild.

The state provides a representative that will accompany the college field worker. However, the work of the state inspector will be from the administrative point of view and so both will work in their own special division. Miss Franken will start her work immediately.

17-Year-Old Italian Given Life Sentence

Houston, Tex., Sept. 18—Joe Piazza 17-year-old Italian boy, was given life imprisonment here today by the jury for the murder of J. L. Salmon, a garage proprietor, last July. The sentence was the heaviest possible as Piazza was under 17 when he shot Salmon.

Mrs. Loren Winslow of Quitman Dies

Mrs. Loren Winslow of near Quitman died at 11 o'clock last night at the Ensworth Hospital in St. Joseph. She was operated on for gallstones and appendicitis there a few days ago. The body was brought to Quitman this morning. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday at the M. E. Church in Quitman. Burial will be in the Quitman cemetery.

Mrs. Winslow was 30 years old. She is survived by her husband and four children, Eva Mae, 9 years old; Mary Ellen, 7 years old; Marguerite, 5 years, and Howard, 2 years old. She is also survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Howard of Fort Scott, Kan., and three sisters, Mrs. Alvin Burk of Fort Scott, Kan., Mrs. Richard Winslow of Quitman and Miss Madaline Howard of Fort Scott, Kan., and one brother, Orville Howard of Fort Scott. Mr. Winslow's sisters, Mrs. Walter Cook of Boise, Idaho, and Mrs. Florence Burgener of Shenandoah, will attend the funeral.

Are Visiting Here

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. George Fenerbacher and son, Shannon of Robinson, Kan., came Saturday evening for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Will Honer and family.

Property Sold To Jack Tarpley

The property of the Diss estate located on South Filmore street was sold today to Jack Tarpley.

Guest At Curl Home

Mr: and Mrs. Thaddeus Welch of Des Moines, Ia., were week-end guests of Dr. and Mrs. O. L. Curl at their home on South Buchanan street.

German-Swiss Frontier Is Closed Today

Berlin, Sept. 18—The German-Swiss frontier was closed today by Switzerland. It is understood that Switzerland feared the growing riots in Germany might lead to a civil war.

Italians to Prevent Usurpation of Fiume

Paris, Sept. 18—Italians addressed a semi-official note to the French foreign office this afternoon explaining that the appointment of General Giardino as military governor of Fiume was for the purpose of preventing a usurpation of the government by "irregular bands."

ZR-1 May Enter in St. Louis Air Race

Plan For Take-Off On Arrival In St. Louis—To Be Non-Stop Flight

Lakehurst, N. J., Sept. 18—Plans are being made to take the ZR 1 to the air races in St. Louis October 3.

Tentative plans call for a "take-off" on arrival in St. Louis early the next day and returning by October 4. This is to be a non-stop flight. The commission of the dirgible is expected to take place on October 10 with Mrs. Edwin Denby, wife of the Secretary of Navy, acting as sponsor.

New York Newspapers Issue Combined Edition

City-Wide Strike Of Pressman Causes Co-Operation Of Publishers—Service Uninterrupted

New York, Sept. 18.—Newspapers of New York City will issue a combined edition at about 4 o'clock today, Lester L. Jones, president of the newspaper publishers' association, announced today.

The first page of the edition is unique in the history of American journalism. It will bear the title line of each of the city newspapers.

Each office will set the skeletonized edition and the regular agencies will attend to its distribution.

The striking pressmen this afternoon were very firm in their determination not to return to work. It was characterized by George Berry, president of the international union, as an outlaw strike.

Police kept groups of strikers moving in the vicinity of newspaper offices.

Working under almost insuperable conditions, publishers of afternoon newspapers put on the street an eight-page combined edition. The strike of the pressmen and the California fire shared honors as feature stories.

Retain E. E. Harper as Consulting Engineer

E. E. Harper of Kansas City was retained as consulting engineer for the State Teachers College here at a meeting of the Board of Regents held in St. Joseph yesterday. Mr. Harper is well known here as he has done considerable work for the College.

All of the members of the board were present at the meeting yesterday except J. F. Robertson of Grant City. Recommendations for improvement in the power plant of the College were adopted. A pit is being dug in order to put in a pump and hot water feeder. The board also approved of several other minor changes of the plant to make for more efficiency and economy.

College Rural Club Elects Officers

The College Rural Club held a meeting last night. On account of the rain only a small number of the club members were present.

After a short program an election of officers was held. Robert Barbeck was elected as club president, William Lethal Wilson was elected vice-president and Anna Mae Gibson and William Thompkin secretary and treasurer.

The club plans numerous activities throughout the year. There are about one hundred members of the Rural Club.

To Classify Library.

C. Edwin Wells, College librarian, will go to Tarkio tomorrow to classify the Tarkio high school library. Mr. Wells also plans to go to Barnard and Conception to classify their school libraries soon.

Return From Salina

Mrs. Clement Hahn and little sons, Clement, Jr., and George, returned last night from Salina, Kan., where they visited at the home of Mrs. Hahn's sister, Mrs. Vera McPhail, for ten days.

CALIFORNIA FIRES NOW UNDER CHECK

SIX NORTHERN CALIFORNIA TOWNS ARE RAVAGED.

PROPERTY LOSS IS HUGE

Stiff Winds Fanned Forest Fires Late Yesterday and Last Night—Many Homes Destroyed.

San Francisco, Sept. 18.—After taking a property toll which may reach 20 million dollars, forest fires which resulted in the destruction of six northern California towns, the ravaging of hundreds of ranches and the burning of hundreds of summer homes and resorts were reported under control late today.

The high winds which late yesterday and last night carried destruction before them are abated. Fire fighters were able to cease their work for a few moments at a time.

A dozen towns, apparently doomed, are reported safe.

San Francisco, Sept. 18—All of the fire swept country is reported to be under control this afternoon.

The damage in the famous Valley of the Moon country was estimated at one million dollars and that in the Russian River section at $500,000.

The reported loss of five lives at Cavedale was still unconfirmed.

San Francisco, Sept. 18—With six northern California towns practically devastated or badly damaged by fires resulting from forest and grass blazes and a dozen others endangered thousands of fire fighters including soldiers and marines today were endeavoring to check the series of conflagations.

The fires are raging in twenty counties. The heaviest damage was in Berkeley where the property damage was estimated at five million dollars.

San Francisco, Sept. 18—Berkeley seat of the University of California, and widely scattered areas in Northern, Central and Southwestern California, were swept by fires that burned scores of buildings, threatened numerous small towns and raced through forest, grass and brush.

Abnormally high temperatures and a stiff wind aided the flames in spreading and caused fire departments and fire wardens to call on volunteers to assist them.

The Oakland fire department was forced to refuse a request from the Berkeley department for aid, because of a threatening fire in the vicinity of Mills College, which destroyed three residences. The University of California buildings were in the path of the flames in Berkeley.

In Placer, Eldorado, Soleno, Nopa and eight other counties brush and forest fires burned over thousands of acres and destroyed ranch houses and buildings. The town of Eldorado was virtually surrounded late yesterday by a fire that had destroyed the Hill hotel and several other buildings. The people of Eldorado, numbering about 150, were in flight.

The forest fire in the Santa mountain range in Santa Barbara County took a new lease on life and got beyond control of the exhausted fire fighters, who have been working on it for three weeks. A call was sent by forest rangers to Los Angeles for help. More than seventy square miles have been burned over.

Grain and pasture lands were laid waste by a fire which swept over seventy-five square miles of Butte and Glenn Counties before the flames were brought under control.

In Marin County a forest fire passed along the Bolinas ridge to within four miles of Fairfax before the wind began to die down, and fire fighters expressed the hope the flames would be stopped.

Poultry Association to Meet Saturday

A meeting of the Northwest Missouri Poultry association will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the County Farm Bureau office for the purpose of arranging the time and place of holding the annual poultry show. All members of the association and all breeders of pure bred poultry are requested to attend the meeting.

Paul Sisson went to St. Joseph this morning to serve as a petit juror in the federal court in that city.

McGill Arrives for Bout With Barackman

Is In First Class Condition For Finish Match At College Gymnasium At 8:30 Tonight

Jack McGill arrived in Maryville last night and is in tip-top condition for his match at the College gymnasium tonight with Mervin Barackman the local matster. McGill has been in training ever since his match here on July 4 and will put up a stiff bout against Barackman tonight.

Dr. D. J. Thomas will send the two men together at 8:30 o'clock. The advance seat sale has been large due to the fact that McGill is well known among the fans here.

A special price will be made to the College students who attend tonight's bout, Dr. Thomas announced this afternoon. A great many women have made reservation for tonight.

PLAN FOR COMING CHURCH CAMPAIGN

PRELIMINARY MEETING HELD HERE YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

WILL ERECT TABERNACLE

County-wide Meetings Will Start October 14—Hamilton Evangelistic Party In Charge

A preliminary meeting of the County Board of the Christian Churches of Nodaway County, together with the ministers and a number of laymen was held yesterday at the Christian Church here. Arrangements were completed for the county-wide evangelistic campaign which will begin October 14.

Evangelist O. E. Hamilton, whose party is to conduct the campaign, and L. C. Montgomery, advance man of the party, were in attendance at the meeting.

Plans and arrangements for the immediate construction of an immense tabernacle were completed. The tabernacle to be used for the meetings will seat more than 2000 persons.

Every Christian Church in Nodaway County will co-operate in these meetings. While the meeting is in progress here, members of the evangelistic team and other helpers will conduct evangelistic services throughout the county. Following the tabernacle meeting, the entire Hamilton Evangelistic Party will give its entire time to work in the county outside of Maryville.

In this manner, each of the eighteen churches in the county will have an evangelistic campaign of its own, conducted by members of the party and the ministers and helpers in the county.

It is said that the Hamilton evangelistic team is one of the strongest in the United States and the methods used in their campaigns are sane and logical.

The party is composed of four men: Orville Edgar Hamilton, the evangelist, Arthur James Hamilton, soloist and chorus director, L. C. Montgomery, evangelist and director, and Charles Stewart, soloist and organizer.

The party is now in a meeting at Madison, Mo., and will come here when the meeting there is completed.

Wallace Baby Dies Today of Pneumonia

Charles William Wallace, the baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Wallace, died at 5:50 o'clock this morning at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hopkins, 813 North Buchanan street. Funeral services will be conducted at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Hopkins home by the Rev. J. A. Cooper of the First Baptist Church. Burial will be in Miriam cemetery. The cause of death was whooping cough and pneumonia. The baby was born July 22, 1922.

Taken Back To Hospital

Miss Ada Albert who has been in ill health was taken back to St. Francis hospital last evening after she had been away from that institution for eight days. Her condition is not much improved.

Visited Sunday.

Cecil Bishop, Carl Bishop of Alanthus, Mrs. Mary Eads of Warsaw, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Virgil E. Fancher and son, John William of Detroit, Mich., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Woods, Charley and Beatrice Woods of Clyde.

LEGISLATURE WILL CONVENE SECRETLY

SPECIAL CALL HAS BEEN SENT TO ALL MEMBERS IN OKLAHOMA

TO MAKE INVESTIGATION

Talk Of Impeachment Is Heard Around Oklahoma Capital—One Member Defends Walton

Oklahoma City, Sept. 18.—Joe O'Brien, member of the legislature and once secretary to former Governor Robertson, came to the defense of Governor Walton this afternoon.

With the legislature about to meet in secret session in an attempt to impeach Governor Walton, O'Brien said: "The people should unanimously support him in whatever action he takes to suppress the invisible government of Oklahoma. Criticism of Governor Walton should be withheld until a full report of conditions is made public."

Oklahoma City, Sept. 18—Declaring that the Oklahoma state fair will be bankrupt if Governor Walton does not rescind his ban placed last night with the military occupation of Oklahoma City. Directors of the state fair association here issued a call for a meeting at noon.

John O'Neil, president of the fair association declared the fair in 1923 would be out in expenditures for exhibits more than $120,000.

The Muskogee free state fair also has been threatened by the Governor.

"Losses to exhibitors, themselves, will be enormous," O'Neil said. "More than one million dollars worth of livestock has been entered by the exhibitors."

Mayor O. A. Cargill would make no statement today as to the postponement of the fair, or regarding martial law.

Walton was veiled in a screen of secrecy today. Guards were with him although it is really not known that the Governor is in Oklahoma City, but it is believed that he is in conference with friends today.

Washington, Sept. 18—The Federal government does not propose to intervene or take any action whatever in the controversy in Oklahoma between Governor Walton and the Ku Klux Klan, it was announced officially at the White House today.

Administration officials explained that the government regarded the Oklahoma situation as a purely local matter, to be handled by the Governor in any way he saw fit.

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Oklahoma City, Sept. 18—The state legislature will assemble in a special session late this week or early next, regardless of military or other edicts. This statement is made upon unimpeachable authority.

Hundreds of telegrams passed between legislators yesterday and last night. By 10 o'clock 60 of the 109 members of the lower house had signified their intention of attending the extraordinary session and information was that the Senate was in a majority in agreement to be present.

Leaders of the legislative movement to defy Governor Walton's threats decline to commit themselves regarding the assembly's proceedure after gathering, nor would any commit himself to discussing impeachment possibilities.

A declaration simply was made that the legislature would investigate thoroughly conditions that have resulted from martial law.

Where the Legislature will assemble is not known, preliminary arrangements being contingent upon the consent of various members to attend. As guards have been placed by Governor Walton in the capitol chamber to prevent the solons from gathering, and it is surmised that the session will be opened in a leading hotel to be adjourned to some other place should necessity arise.

Bayonet rule of Oklahoma City brought out bitter denunciation of Governor Walton last night by Ross Lilard, city counsellor in the city administration when Walton was mayor, and now Senator from this district.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy and cooler tonight, urobably showers in south portion; Wednesday fair, warmer in the northwest portion.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

Bible Thought for Today

WHEN FOOLS CRY.—Fools, because of their transgression, and because of their iniquities, are afflicted. Then they cry unto the Lord in their trouble, and he saveth them out of their distresses.—Psalm 107:17, 19.

THE HOME OF THE FUTURE.

The railroads of the country use 125,000,000 new wooden ties each year, the telephone companies use an enormous number of new poles and enough building lumber will be sold this year to build a row of houses from New York to San Francisco and back again, according to statisticians.

This takes an enormous amount of trees and there is no reforestation going on in this country. Unless there is something of the kind put into active effect in this country soon, wood ties, wood poles and wood houses will be only for aristocrats and show places. Until there is some plan for rebuilding the forests, every effort should be made to preserve trees from fire and to reduce the number of fires in frame buildings.

A great many people do not care about the generations to come; they will not plant that others may reap and thus the timber of the country is becoming scarcer and scarcer. Unless it is made somebody's business to plant for the future, brick, stone and concrete will be the building of the future and the towns of this country will eventually look like those of Mexico, and the adobe house may be a common thing, throughout the country.

BOOZE WITH A KICK.

It is claimed and rightfully so perhaps that there are now more people than ever going to the insane asylum from drink. This is not because they are drinking more but because the stuff they do drink is getting more and more poisonous.

There is neither merit nor safety in most of the bootleg "hootch" that is peddled and bought by those willing to take a chance on anything once. Some of the old time "rum hounds" may be beyond redemption, but not all of them, and most of the younger generation need to be taught the dangers of the stuff made by amateurs.

A great many of the older generation who had a discriminating taste and avoided "green stuff" and the kind that "packed a headache" have gone on the water wagon but there are still a few who care not just so they get a kick even if it carries a knockout with it.

Every man who takes the trouble to observe knows that there is less drunkenness today than in the history of the country. A drunk man on the streets is a rare sight where it used to be a very common thing. Every business man knows that thousands of families have money and credit now where they used to be without a meal ahead. Those who persist in drinking the stuff made and sold by bootleggers are taking an awful chance and this fact should be made plain to them.

Dr. John A. Houston, head of a state hospital for the insane in Massachusetts makes the following statement which no doubt will be borne out by every other in sane hospital:

"The patients who now come to us after alcoholic drink has rendered them insane are in a condition almost wholly different to that of patients whom we took in before prohibition.

"Our alcoholic insane today are in a much more confused mental condition and they are very sick physically. They do not have the hallucinations and fears which characterized the alcoholic insane in former days. But the most notable thing is their awful physical sickness.

"This is, of course, due to the poisonous drink which they have taken. They are in such a condition that they are really, at least for a time, a puzzle to the diagnostician."

A good dinner makes a mighty appeal to the heart it seems.

Getting up in the world has kept many a man from getting down in the mouth.

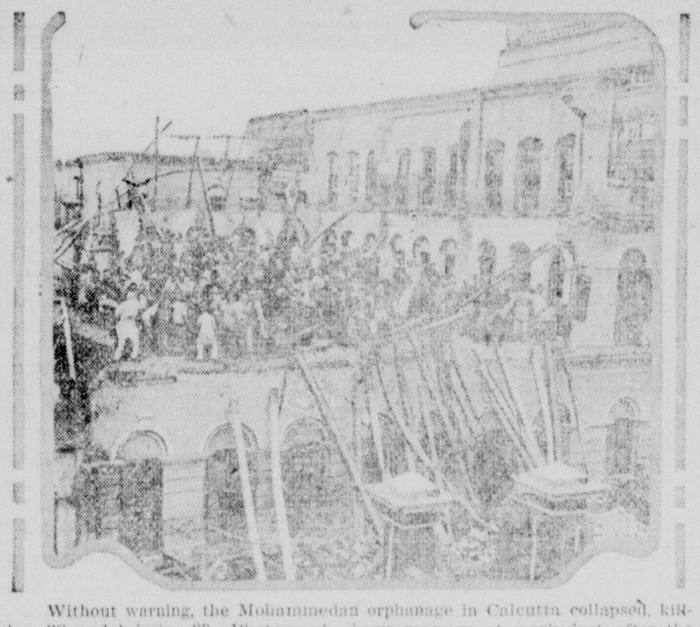
The United States is a great country noted for its enormous number of good cars and bad roads.

In making liquor raids, officers should always be polite and ethical. If a man willingly shows them part of his house and doesn't want them to go any further, it would of course be rude to insist on going further.

Enid, Oklahoma, is celebrating the thirtieth anniversary of the first "run" into the Cherokee strip which took place September 16, 1893. What a wonderful progress Oklahoma has made during these thirty years.

Mrs. Mabel Newlon and daughters, Ida Beth and Jennie, of Fillmore, spent the week-end in Maryville with her father, Mark Cummings.

Scene of Disaster in Calcutta



Without warning, the Mohammedan orphanage in Calcutta collapsed, killing 38 and injuring 33. Photograph shows rescuers at work just after the disaster occurred.

WHITE CLOUD.

Harold Ringold, Zola and Mary Burke and Alverado Kysar were enrolled in school this week.

Bert Baldwin saw a wolf in one of his pastures Thursday morning.

Will Morehouse bought a Moline tractor and has started his fall plowing this week.

A slight frost was seen in the low places Thursday morning.

Elmer Hutcherson, Lemon and Andy Morehouse, Clay Young and Galen Ulmer are working on the roads this week.

Pauline Ringold enrolled in the S. T. C. at Maryville Monday.

The agriculture class will score a draft horse Monday.

Forumettes

Too many of us are
Too busy laying in
For a rainy day to
Notice the fine weather.

It is harder to find a good listener than it is to locate a good talker.

A cynical bachelor observed to us the other day that it is hard for a man to profit by his mistakes if one of them was marrying the wrong woman.

Do you suppose there ever was a woman who was not influenced by what her neighbor wore?

There is no more comfortable feeling than that which follows getting your next winter's coal all in the bin and paid for.

Uncle Abner says let a man get taken in and he feels rather put out about it.

More Maryville people are interested these days in killing two flies with one swat than two birds with one stone.

The observer of the passer-by in Maryville asks if you have noticed that the sleeves went up in proportion to the distance the skirts went down.

Our janitor says he heard a bird singing "Yes we have no bananas" just outside his window the other morning.

Haberdashers must be particular about their wearing apparel as customers look up to them for the latest styles a friend at a store tells us.

We wonder how a girl can go the entire summer without getting sun burned since they are wearing those open sleeve dresses.

Just because some people don't understand a thing they think they have license to find fault with it.

Louise, the stenographer, says the man who hesitates gets hit at the crossing.

Nothing will make the average woman suspicious like having another woman say nice things about her husband.

Vagrant Musings.

Just because a man is weak is no sign strong habits will not grow on him.

Have you not often wondered who will work for us after everybody gets educated?

Fashion note says they are not going to wear the long skirts much longer. What we would like to know is what the much longer means.

When you see a young man riding in an automobile with a young woman and driving with both hands the chances are she is either his wife or his sister.

Two may live as cheaply as one but not always as peacefully.

Today's Vaudeville Patter.

Biff—What is your idea of a reformer?

Bang—A fellow who does not want anybody else to do something he does not wish to do himself.

AGED FATHER FIGHTS TO SAVE BABYS LIFE AFTER TRIP

Oklahoma City, Sept. 18—After a 100-mile trip to get the best medical aid possible, J. P. Harkins, 65 years old, must return to his home without the tiny atom of humanity he tried to save.

The new-born babe died in a local hospital because its veins and arteries were to small to stand the necessary circulation of blood. It weighed only a pound and was carried into the hospital in a shoe-box.

The baby was fully developed, physicians said, but was the smallest patient ever received in Oklahoma City.

START YOUR WINTER GARDEN NOW!

This month the temperature in greenhouse and home are equal and plants are easily acclimated in their new surroundings. They will take the chill out of the dreary months to come and keep the atmosphere of summer in your home all winter. Quality Blooming Plants, Bulbs, Ferns and a complete line of accessories reasonably priced for your selection.

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"I know why it's zooming —it's the best cigarette I ever tasted!"
Zoom!
The fastest-growing cigarette in the United States
Chesterfield
CIGARETTES
They Satisfy

Phoenix Silk Hose

There isn't any better silk hose on the market than Phoenix. They are featured this season in all the newest shades. If you want style, comfort, durability, buy Phoenix.

No. 364 medium weight silk, ten inch garter top, now only per pair.....$1.00

No. 365, heavier weight silk, ten inch garter top, seam back, now only per pair.....$1.35

No. 740, heavy weight silk, extra elastic mercerized ribbed top, now only per pair.....$1.65

No. 368, full fashioned medium weight silk hose, eight inch lisle garter top, the very best full fashioned stocking on the market, for the price now only per pair.....$2.00

No. 398, full fashioned heavy weight silk, four inch garter top, a most beautiful stocking now only per pair.....$2.65

No. 776, chiffon silk stocking, full fashioned, four inch garter top, now only per pair.....$2.95

Haines
The Biggest Little Store in United States.

POSTPONED ACCOUNT OF CONDITION OF ROADS.

STOCK HOG SALE

At the Tommy Russell farm, 4½ miles southeast of Graham, 11 miles due west of Barnard, 20 miles southwest of Maryville, 4½ miles southwest of Sunny Brook

Friday, Sept. 21

440 Head of Spotted Polands

All double immune. They have been started on green corn for the past thirty days.

These hogs are extra high grade Spotted hogs, healthy, thrifty and ready to put into the feed lot or on the range.

These hogs will be sold in bunches of about 10 to 20 head.

TERMS—Cash or any arrangements made with the clerk.

Lunch on ground. Sale starts at 1 o'clock.

T. K. Russell & H. R. Council

R. P. Hosmer, Auct. Geo. W. Cole, Clerk.

SOCIETY

Club Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Herron Homemaking Circle has been postponed from tomorrow afternoon to Wednesday, September 26, when Mrs. V. A. Guthrie will be hostess.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Onstott entertained as Saturday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Fancher and son, John William of Detroit, Mich., John Woods, son and daughter, Charley and Beatrice of Clyde.

Honor Mrs. Bohm

Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Mrs. A. B. Allen and Mrs. M. L. Beattie will entertain at euchre tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Beattie on West First street, complimenting Mrs. Henry Bohm of Denver, Colo., who is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend. The game will be played at eight tables.

Gaynor Friendship Club

Mrs. Claude Thomas was hostess to the Gaynor Friendship Club last Thursday afternoon at her home. The afternoon was spent socially and roll call was answered by "What Household Task I most Dislike to do." Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Paul Smith. The following members were present Mrs. Lloyd Killion, Mrs. John Gerrard, Mrs. Del Morton, Mrs. Paul Smith, Mrs. Paul Caudle, Mrs. Hardie Shellman, Mrs. J. E. Hilton, Miss Laura Gerrard, Miss Estelle Thomas, Helen Killion, Velda and Lois Shellman and Meta Morton. The club will meet September 27 at the home of Mrs. Truman Young.

Entertain Neighborly Club.

The members of the Skidmore Neighborly Club were entertained last Thursday by the Successful Club at the home of Mrs. Mary Pfieffer. The rooms were attractively decorated with garden flowers. Visitors were welcomed by the president, Mrs. Jennie Oakerson, and after the devotional exercises, led by Mrs. Gertrude Mitchell, the time was spent socially. Members of the two clubs were paired off and the visitors were requested to repeat jokes which were presented by members of the entertaining club. The answers resulted in much merriment. The prize for the best repetition of a joke was awarded Mrs. Mary Grigsby, while the prize for telling the best joke was won by Mrs. Willie Goslee. The women also drew pictures of their husbands and the prize for the best drawing went to Mrs. Willie Goslee. The prize for guessing the most pictures was equally divided between Mrs. Rose Spahr, Mrs. Anna Tygart and Miss Mattie Tarply. Refreshments of watermelon and grapes were served by Mrs. Vida James and Mrs. Lena Pfeiffer. Members of the Neighborly Club present were Mrs. Mary Grigsby, Mrs. Stacy Walker, Mrs. Ida Miller, Mrs. Chloie Manning, Mrs. Florence Hoblitzell, Miss Mattie Tarpley, Mrs. Lena Jordan, Mrs. Rose Spahr and Mrs. Ethel Wells and Mrs. Goldie Wells, who are also members of the Successful Club. Other members of the Successful Club present were Mrs. Fannie Peters, Mrs. Vida James, Mrs. Mary Linville, Mrs. Gertrude Mitchell, Mrs. Mary Pfeiffer, Mrs. Lena Pfeiffer and son, Charles, Mrs. Gladys McDaniel and daughter, Betty Judith, Mrs. Nell Caywood, Mrs. Willie Goslee, Carol Quentin Goslee, Mrs. Leona Linville, Mrs. Jennie Oakerson, Mrs. Anna DeWitt and daughter, Mary Elizabeth. Other guests were Mrs. Hildred O'Riley and son, Frederic Charles of Ames, Ia.; Mrs. Anna Tygart and little daughter of Aldrich, Mo., Mrs. Susie Peter and Mrs. Marie Brown.

Arts and Crafts Department

The first meeting of the year for the Arts and Crafts Department of the Twentieth Century Club was held yesterday afternoon at the State Teachers College. In the absence of the chairman, the vice chairman, Mrs. P. M. Parry, presided at the meeting. The other officers are chairman, Miss Ruth Matter; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Bert Null; and press reporter, Mrs. Emery Airy. Mrs. L. M. Eek gave "An Analysis of the Program Proposed for This Year" and Mrs. F. S. King spoke briefly on the willow holt. Miss Olive DeLuce, head of the Fine Arts department of the College, had for her subject, "The Need of Art in Our Public Schools." Twenty members attended the opening meeting.

Surprise Birthday Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Coil, 816 South Mulberry street, were surprised at their home Sunday by the children of Mrs. Coil. The occasion was the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Coil. The visitors brought well filled baskets and the table was centered with a large birthday cake holding fifty-four pink candles. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Paul Campbell and daughters, Bellah Pauline and Betty Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Campbell, Howard Campbell and Mr .and Mrs. Coil.

Robinson Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Robinson were hosts at a six o'clock dinner last evening in honor of their nephew, Chilton Robinson, who left today to attend the University of Wisconsin at Madison. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Theodore, James and Chilton Robinson and the hosts and daughter, Miss Virginia Robinson.

Special Meeting

A special meeting of St. Patrick's Sewing Circle will be held tomorrow afternoon in the church hall and all members are urged to be present.

Lager-Stoll Wedding.

The marriage of Miss Agnes Lager, daughter of Mrs. Herman Lager of Clyde, and Joseph Stoll, Jr., took place at 8 o'clock this morning at St. Benedict's Church in Clyde, the Rev. Father Odilo of Parnell, an uncle of the bride, officiating. The bridesmaid was Miss Henrietta Lager, sister of the bride, and Mike Stoll, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. The bride wore a gown of white canton crepe trimmed in brocaded satin crepe. Her veil was of tulle and she carried a shower bouquet of gladioli. The bridesmaid's gown was of pearl gray material with hat and slippers to match and her bouquet was also of gladioli. A wedding breakfast and dinner were served at the home of the bride's mother for fifty relatives and friends of the couple. Mr. and Mrs. Stoll will be the guests of honor at a dance to be given tonight at the Clyde Hall. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stoll, Sr., of Clyde. The couple will be at home on a farm, two miles west of Conception.

Planning to Get Out the Woman Vote

The women political leaders are coming to the fore and are canvassing the country from coast to coast to get a line on the political views of the women voters. Mrs. Elliot Cheatham of Atlanta, Ga., director of nine southern states and the District of Columbia, visited headquarters in Washington with the exhibit which she will use at county fairs in the various states this fall to interest women in voting.

Entertained at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Smith entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. George Fenerbacher and son, Shannon of Robinson, Kan., Joe Honer and Virgil Talbert spent the evening there.

Sorority Pledges.

Miss Clara Crane of Burlington Junction, a student at the University of Columbia, has been pledged to the Chi Omega sorority. Miss Etta Trusty also of Burlington Junction, has been announced as a pledge of the Phi Mu sorority.

Surprise Mrs. Bellows.

A surprise dinner party was given last evening in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Fayette Bellows at the Bellows home on West First street. The party included Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bellows, Charles Bellows, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bellows and daughter, Emma Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bellows and baby son, Charles, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Deatherage, Mr. and Mrs. Fayette Bellows and children, Donald, Mary Jane and Barbara, and their guest, Mrs. C. C. Banks of Minneapolis, Minn.

Cecil Lawson In Hospital

Cecil Lawson of the Harmony neighborhood was taken to St. Francis hospital yesterday evening and was operated on at 9 o'clock this morning for appendicitis. He is doing nicely at this time.

Mrs. Mattie Hunt of St. Joseph is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Matteson on South Fillmore street.

Mrs. J. F. Colby and Mrs. S. G. Gillam went to St Joseph this morning to spend the day.

Arrive From Minneapolis

Mrs. William Holcomb, who has been ill at a hospital in Minneapolis, arrived today and is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Conley, 1130 North Main street. The trip from Ravenwood was made in the Cummins & Wray ambulance. Mrs. Holcomb's condition is serious. She was accompanied to Maryville by Mr. Holcomb and their daughter, Erva.

Scotts Return From Trip

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Scott returned Monday noon from Garden Grove, Ia., where they visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Spellerberg. Accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Spellerberg, they motored to Detroit, Mich., to visit Mrs. Scott's brother, Roy Spellerberg and family. They were gone two weeks.

Paving oCntractor Here

Mr. O'Brien of the Cook & O'Brien Construction Co., of Kansas City; whose bid was accepted by the city commissioners for the paving of West Third street and Grand avenue, is in Maryville today with the company's attorney. The gentlemen are looking over the proceedings of the city commissioners in regard to the specifications for paving.

Harold Ramsey To Nevada

Harold Hamsey, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ramsey, has gone to Winnemucca, Nevada, where he began work September 10 as superintendent of schools. He is a graduate of the University of Missouri and for the last two years had been superintendent of the Forrest City schools. Prior to that he served as superintendent of the Paris, Mo., schools for one year.

R. L. Larmer, who has been in Stanberry on business for several days, will return home tonight.

ST. LOUIS MAY SAVE MILLIONS BY PIPING COAL FROM FIELDS

St. Louis, Sept. 17—Millions of dollars could be saved by piping washed coal from the Southern Illinois fields in the opinion of William D. Pratt, Kansas City engineer who has been making a survey of the situation.

Pratt says a ten-inch pipe could be laid into this city from the bituminous fields of the neighboring state with small connections with the pitts.

The engineer declared the big saving would be made in transportation costs, estimating coal could be transferred from 50 to 100 miles in this manner at 50 cents per ton, compared with $1.26, the present rail rate.

Delivery of the washed product would also be made in much quicker time aside from the big saving it would make for the manufacturers and large users of soft coal. The truck lines, he declares, lose several days in making empty hauls from St. Louis to the mines.

Washed coal could be pumped from the mines to this city if the mine opeartors would agree to install crushers and mix the necessary volume of water to force the coal through the pipe lines.

PRODIGAL SON RETURNS ONLY TO LEAVE AGAIN WITH BROTHER

Kansas City, Sept. 18—A prodigal son returned to his home here after being absent since May but he did not wait to smell the savor of the fatted calf; he stayed only long enough to help his younger brother pack his clothes. Then they both left home "to see the world."

Homer Hanenkratt, 16 years old, and his brother, Gerald, 14, drove the elder boy's battered flivver up in front of the home which he had not seen in many months. They disembarked and went into the house where the "long lost brother" was met by his sister, 18.

"We're not going to stay here," he advised her. "We're going out to see the world."

They left in the battered car.

A reformatory is perscribed by the father for both boys if they are captured, he told police.

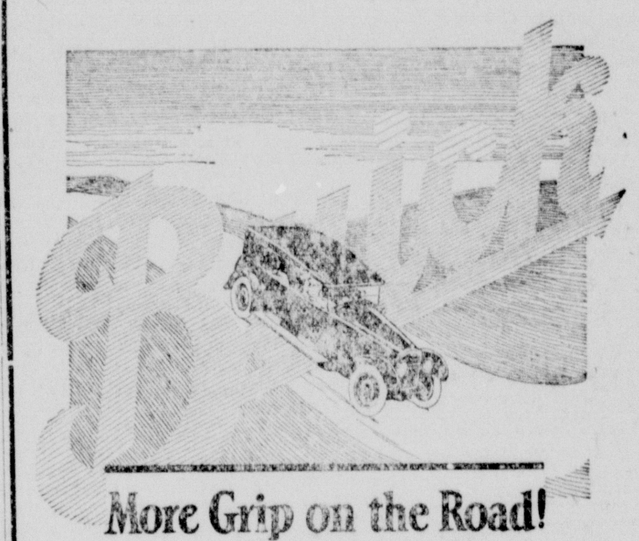
HELIUM SUPPLY SHORTAGE NOT FEARED BY COMMANDER OF ZR-1

Fort Worth, Texas, Sept. 18.—There is a sufficient supply of helium gas in Texas to last for the next thirty years, if that supply is properly conserved, according to Commander Weyerbacher of the United States airship ZR-1.

The new American made airship recently flew over New York using helium manufactured in the United States helium plant here.

The commander made the statement to dispell reports that resort will have to be made soon to the dangerous hydrogen gas when constructors have turned the ZR-1 over to its operating crew.

The government controls a helium plant for the army and navy in Fort Worth operating on gas from the petrol fields," Commander Weyerbacher said. "It is operated by the navy and has a daily capacity of 45,000 cubic feet when there is sufficient gas flow from the wells."



More Grip on the Road!

Buick Four-wheel Brakes

Buick four-wheel brakes give all 1924 Buick cars twice the amount of grip on the road, thereby doubling their braking efficiency. It is the friction or grip of the tire on the road surface that brakes or slows down the car.

Buick four-wheel brakes not only provide a greater power to stop in case of emergency but, because of this four-wheel road grip, reduce skidding dangers to a minimum.

In turning, Buick four-wheel brake construction automatically releases whichever is the outside or guiding front wheel so it is instantly responsive to the steering mechanism.

Buick four-wheel brake construction distributes braking friction over four drums and four wheels. This reduces wear on brake linings and tires, thereby assuring their longer life and greater efficiency with fewer adjustments.

Buick four-wheel brakes [on all models] together with countless other distinctive features of the 1924 cars further establish Buick as the Standard of Comparison.

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Empire Theatre

Tonight

Anita Stewart in "ROSE OF THE SEA."

Comedy—Harold Lloyd in "A Sailor Made Man."

10c 27c and 3c

Wednesday and Thursday—

Pola Negri in "BELLA DONNA."

10c Also Comedy. 36c and 4c

Friday and Saturday—

Jack Holt in "TIGER'S CLAW."

10c Also Comedy. 22c and 3c

A PLEASANT PLACE FOR GENTLE FOLKS.

Boys' All-Wool Sweater

Out-of-doors sports make Jack a bright boy—if he is clothed comfortably.

Conspicuous for qualities created by their popularity, the new Cardigans and Athletic sweaters are priced so moderately that you can get just what you want at a reasonable expenditure.

They do not stretch out of shape easily and can be washed without the colors running.

$3 $4 $5

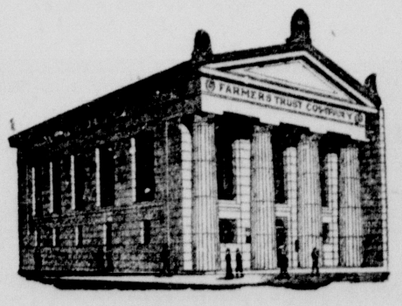
Corwin-Murrin Clothing Company

Women Pay 16 Per Cent of N. Y. State Income Tax
ALBANY, N. Y., Aril 11—Women filing separate returns paid 16.5 per cent of the total income tax of New York state residents in 1920, according to data made public today by the state tax commission. Of the returns, 20.4 per cent were made independently by women, the commission said and,

An Invitation to Women

Read the clipping. The ever-widening influence of women in business—in the office and in the home—is appreciated by this institution.

We cordially invite you to use the facilities provided to meet your every banking need. Our officers will gladly explain the many ways in which we can help you organize yourself and your family for financial success.



FARMERS TRUST COMPANY

Maryville's Bank of Personal Service

Visitor From Ohio

Miss Minnie Rutledge of Carrollton, Ohio, came today to visit at the home of Mrs. Mary Bracken and Mr. and Mrs. William Bracken and with other relatives.

Joe Cornell began work this morning in the grocery department of the Remus Mercantile store.

Rainfall Measures 1.71 Inches.

The total rainfall since Sunday morning measures 1.71 inches, according to J. R. Brink, Maryville weather observer.

Mrs. Fletcher Irwin Here

Mrs. Fletcher Irwin of Los Angeles Cal., arrived in Maryville today to spend several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Catherine Miller, and her sister, Mrs. F. P. Robinson, and family.

Will Attend Meeting

L. M. Eek of the Sisson Loan and Title Co., left last evening for West Baden, Ind., to attend the Farm Mortgage Bankers Association. Mr. Eek will return Friday morning.

Miss Theresa Riley, cashier at the Economy store, will go to Stanberry tonight to assist in the Leader Mercantile store for a few days.

Mrs. John Chilchote of Bedford, Ia., was in Maryville today.

Mr. and Mrs. Dora Snyder of Gravity, Ia., were Maryville visitors today.

Wise Cracks

One way to keep the boys from trespassing is to give them a place to play. —Jefferson City Democrat.

Mussolini has forbidden the sale of artificial flowers in Rome, the idea being perhaps that if anybody wants to pin a rose on him it must be genuine. —St. Louis Star.

It remains to be seen whether or not the wild bull of Pampas has given us a bum steer.—Wichita Beacon.

We have always wondered how some men get on a committe to judge a baby show.—Tulsa Daily World.

Germany's slayer was convicted and hanged because of a single hair found on the hand of the victim. Finding of a hair usually on the coat shoulder has been the downfall of many a man.—Fort Worth Star Telegram.

The Prince of Wales is truly democratic. He is to travel in America incognito, or unknown to others. That is the way most Americans travel.—Kansas City Kansan.

When I was a kid I thought a polecat was so called because if you killed it with a pole, the longer the pole the better.—Nebraska Daily Press.

Flattery as you probably know it is the compliments that are passed on other people.—Oklahoma City Times.

Thieves stole forty-eight shirts from a showcase in front of a Kansas City store the other day. The shirts evidently were some of those described in the advertisements as irresistible.—Kansas City Star.

A married man hugs his wife. A single man hugs delusions.—Fulton, Mo. Sun.

When is home a more welcome sight than when you have a funny tire?—Capital News Jefferson City.

"Good Beer Or None," is the ultimatum Mayor Dever has handed to the bootleggers. Ah ha, there's a mayor who believes in law enforcement.—St. Louis Times.

If there were no cold storage all the fried chicken would come directly out of the coops.—St. Louis Star.

Summer was short but the mean temperature was very mean.—Fort Worth Star Telegram.

Over in Germany they figure so many thousand marks to the dollar, while in this country we figure so many thousand dollar marks to the oil company.—Kansas City Kansan.

A New York pastor recently declared that there is no word to describe the deparavity to which a man may sink after drinking the liquor now offered on the bootlegger's curb. "Why not," suggests the New York World call it gynetic sin.—Kansas City Star.

Just when we were beginning to feel there might be a war in Europe, Spain comes along and furnishes the thrills.—Kansas City Star.

The latest color, "Coolidge brown" has a tendency to give thinking persons a political taste of similar color. —St. Charles M., Banner-News.

We haven't forgotten, y'understand, that the dancing masters decreed that jazz must go.—Oklahoma City Times.

A family named Tee Hee is reported as having a baby. Evidently the fathers laugh was mistaken for his name.—Wichita Beacon.

One reason why automobiles stir up so much dust on the roads is that they usually are dragging a mortgage on a 40 acre farm or a $6,000 piece of city real estate.—Fort Worth Star Telegram.

Now since Ireland has joined the league of nations, the problem of whether America should join or keep out becomes the more accute.—Kansas City Kansan.

Another one of the most remarkable things in the world is that there are so many more bootlegs than there are boots.—Fort Worth Star Telegram.

Seven hundred people have applied for five jobs as prohibition agents in Missouri. Considering the nature of the work they must do, they must be filled with zeal, or impressed with the financial possibilities.—St. Louis Star.

FOR SALE—Windfall pears 75c bu. kraut cabbage 3c; onions in quantities 3c; extra fine tomatoes $1.25 bu. John Graves, Farmers 76-12. 18-20

Late Telegraph News

Kansas City, Sept. 18—If wives used only half the allurements to hold their husbands that we use to get them, husbands would be safe in the bosoms of their families most of the time."

It was "Topsy" speaking, another of those girls who "just grew" only this one preferred to be known as Margaret. Margaret was old, very old. She was 21 years old and "never worried herself or her friends."

"She was but one of many hauled before the welfare board, caught in the net of its roundup. Only Margaret was different. She was a philosopher.

"Girls have too few limitations these days," she explained blithely. "They allow a man so many liberties that—well, the modern girl is a good feeder for the kind we are. Bless her, she doesn't know it, but ask the men—they sometimes tell the truth—to one another.

"Reform! Ye Gawds, no. I am well provided for and am sufficiently happy. I have no responsibilities; when one town gets too hot there are others.

"I learned not to worry when I was young, and I will "smile, darn you smile" when I die."

And she will, commented one of the welfare workers. When she regains her freedom, unless we can awake her responsibilities, show her the value of leading a different life.

Margaret was not complimentary to Kansas City.

"Kansas City," she growled, "Ye Gawds, whoever put this town here had a grudge against the world. It'll be a great day when I get out of here."

The girl remembered the story of her father and mother.

She told how her parents, selfishly interested in themselves, rather than in the child that might have cemented the home ties, obtained a divorce on trivial grounds. Both have remarried.

"Is there any wonder she scoffs at love sanctities of marriage and belittles the relations that children should feel sacred" a welfare worker asked.

"Unless the Divine fire of God, in some way touches her, she will just drift, drift and continue to drift into the abyss."

Dallas, Tex., Sept. 18—West Texas counties have issued a call for 19,000 cotton pickers to be in the fields by October 1. Pickers in the vicinity of Dallas and Fort Worth already are leaving for the western fields but that force will have to be augmented greatly, according to C. W. Woodman of the United States Employment bureau.

The West Texas counties in greatest need and the number desired are: Scurry, 500; Motely, 1,000; Knox, 400; Tom Green, 1,000; Dawson, 2,000; Reeves, 300; Runnels, 2,400 and Nolan, 500.

Wichita, Kan., Sept. 18—Harvesting of grain may be revolutionized through a new harvester just invented and financed by a local firm.

The machine is the creation of Peter Ketelsen of Denver, and is credited with mowing, binding and shocking in a single operation. The machines will be manufcatured in the Colorado city.

The new invention is not an appliance but an individual machine which will entirely replace three machines formerly necessary, it s declared by the inventor. It is drawn by two horses. The motive power for binding and shocking is furnished by a small motor installed in the machine.

The machine is said to work nearly perfectly in any sort of fields. Representatives of Henry Ford have viewed the "Ketelsen Binder" and have requested a demonstration of the working model.

Kansas City, Sept. 18—There are those who in spite of the fast time made by the revived Pony Express from St. Joseph to San Francisco, aver the regular pony express of 1860 was faster.

Henry Evis, the only early day rider now living east of the Rocky Mountains says he "wants the truth told."

He says:

"It is claimed the old record was beaten 42 hours. This is not true, as the regular pony express time was ten days. And the record was 7 days, 21 hours when Lincoln's inaugaral message was carried to the coast

"The recent express started from St. Joseph August 31, and arrived in San Francisco September 9, 10 days and 5 hours. This made them 52 hours behind our record."

The old rider was wrong, however, for at each state line the present day rider waited for a set time to start, not to conflict with ceremonies prepared by various towns along the route.

Furthermore, no attempt was made to ride through the night. The actual time, not the total time, that elapsed, was much faster than the old record, not taking into consideration the differences in roads condition.

The sheriff announced that a footprint on the bank was the only clue within a 300-foot radius of where the note was found.

In this village of mystery many strange things have happened. Bells at railroad crossings ring for hours with no train within miles. Inexplicable fire burns brightly along the river bank at night and weird cries are heard. Yet no serious crime ever has been discovered; no murder ever disclosed.

Just Arrived---car of each, high grade Ill. Nut and Lump Coal

$7.50 and $8.50 per ton delivered

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We Wash Cars

Prices $1.00 and up

Depending on size and condition of car.

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New Location—1 block East of Postoffice.

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Pola Negri

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Her First American Picture.

"Bella Donna"

A PARAMOUNT.

Beautiful, seductive, flashing heroine of a thousand love-triumphs—here's Pola Negri in the brilliant story and gorgeous settings she was made for—A modern woman of fashion, luring men with her silken charms, till at last she meets the eyes of her great lover—

Her first American picture, produced by one of America's finest directors.

Supported by CONWAY TEARLE, CONRAD NAGEL and LOIS WILSON—10c and 36c and 4c.

Cox's Stock Sale

Star Pavilion, Maryville, Sat., Sept. 22

List anything you wish to sell. This will be a good one.

A. J. COX, Auctioneer.

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Showing New Fall Goods In All Departments

Timely Suggestions In Harmony With The Season

READY-TO-WEAR

We have some beautiful new arrivals in coats, dresses and skirts.

OUR DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT

has for your selection a larger and better assortment than ever before in satin faced Poiret Twills.....$2.35 to $3.65

All wool crepes.....$2.75

All wool Tweeds, 58 inch at.....$2.50 and $2.75

All wool middy broadcloth, 50 inch $2.65

All wool storm serges, 36 inches wide.....$1.00

OUTING FLANNEL

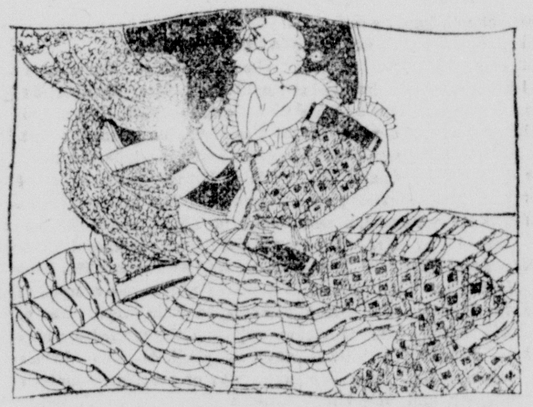
A large assortment of patterns for your selection.
27 inch, priced.....15c, 17½c and 20c
36 inch, priced.....20c, 25c and 30c

GLOVES

Our glove department is showing a complete line in styles and colors that are in demand for fall and winter wear.

SWEATERS

Sweater-coats for fall sports in an attractive assortment of styles and colors.



SILKS

that inspire the autumn mode. The new silks are here in all their variety of exquisite weaves and colorings. Among the most attractive are Luxciel Crepe, Crepe Bombay, Moire Trico Sham, Crepe de Chine, Canton Crepe, Satin Canton, Silk and Wool Canton, Alltyme Crepe.

GINGHAMS

The ever increasing popularity of ginghams as an all year round fabric is fully justified in the opinion of persons of discriminating taste. The rich colorings and pastel shades lend a charm of youthful appearance to the wearer, rarely attained by the use of any other fabric.

For the children new dresses of gingham in jolly colors that stay bright in spite of many tubbings. You have here a choice of an especially wide selection just now, because Fall ginghams are of the newest patterns and are now on display in our piece goods department.

FINE QUALITY COTTON CHARMEUSE

in a beautiful range of colors. A very practical cloth for bloomers, petticoats, princess slips, linings and children's dresses. 36 inch wide, per yard 89c

BLANKETS

The quality of our blankets is as excellent as the showing is complete at moderate prices. Better prepare for cold weather.

SILK HOSE

Our Wunderhose is a line without a superior in its grade. It includes all the new desirable colors and styles, lace clocking, cushion weave, French seam fashioned and semifashioned at $1.00, $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50.

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FOR SALE

LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at The Democrat-Forum office: Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattle Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed.

BATH TUBS--$27.00. James Smith Plumbing and Heating Co. Hanamo 506 Kane Building. S 2-0 2

FOR SALE—one 1917 Haynes touring car, driven less than 4500 miles. Arnold-Sillers Motor Co. A28tf

FOR SALE—5 room cottage, half block from high school. Price $1250. Easy terms. Bosworth, 3001 East 9th, Kansas City, Mo. 12-18*

FOR QUICK SALE—Cheap, 5 acre tract, well improved. Also some money to loan on city property. See A. S. Robey. 15-18*

FOR SALE—Overland touring almost as cheap as you can buy the tires. Call at 424 East 6th or Hanamo 4445. 15-18*

FOR SALE—Sow and 8 pigs, Chester Whites; good ones. Call Hanamo 5493. 18-20*

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Deering corn binder, good running order; also would trade for or buy used Ford truck. John Graves, Farmers 76-12. 17-19

FOR SALE—18x24 barn. 825 South Main St. Hanamo 4651. 15-18*

FOR SALE—Ford truck, No. 1 condition, at Armstrongs Foundry. 18-24

Small Farm For Sale—74 acre farm near Whitesville, Mo., this farm lays well, near school, has new 7 room house, 20 acres blue grass pasture, small orchard, well watered. For terms price, write W. S. Thomson, Craig, Mo. 18-22

JOHNSON'S SPECIAL TIRE SALE—For cash, will make 15 per cent reduction on any of the following brands of tires, subject to stock on hand, for the rest of September: Goodyear, Goodrich, Fisk, Firestone, Miller, Kelly Springfield and Republic. These tires are firsts and guaranteed. Walter E. Johnson, Pickering, Mo. 12-18

GET A KITCHEN SAFE to store away your fruit in, they are cheap at Case Furniture Exchange. 12-18

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—A reliable man to handle the old reliable Peerless Stock Remedies, about Maryville and adjacent territory. A splendid proposition to a man, who understands stock and has his own car. Address Peerless Stock Powder Co., Falls City, Nebraska. 24-tf

2 strictly modern rooms, furnished for light housekeeping; close to high school. Hanamo 3625, 404 East First. S10tf

WANTED—Good clean rags, must not be small pieces. Bring to the Democrat-Forum. S14tf

WANTED—Work of any kind by college student. Farmers 224-14. 15-21

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, close in; also garage, 704 N. Main; Hanamo 4686. 17-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for girls. Modern. Close to College. 816 N. Walnut. 17-19*

WANTED—A young man with car for sales position in Nodaway County. Permanent. Willing to work for $40 weekly. Write J. H. Smith, 901 Corby-Forsee Bldg., St. Joseph, Mo. 18-19*

LOST—Two spotted hounds on Long Branch. Reward. Call Democrat-Forum Office. 18-20

WANTED—Girl to help with house work after school for room and board. Hanamo 6152; 222 South Vine. 18-20

WANTED—Girl for general house work. Mrs. Joseph Jackson. 17-19

PARKER'S WONDERFUL DISCOVERY—Given in drinking water. Rids poultry of mites and lice like magic. A real tonic will not taint flesh or Egg. If you want winter layers, now is the time to clean up your flocks. Sold and Guaranteed by Gaugh and Evans. 11tf.

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, Sept. 18. — CATTLE—Receipts, 14,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 27,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 28,000.

St. Louis, Sept. 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, 10,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 22,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 4,500.

Kansas City, Sept. 18.—CATTLE — Receipts, 30,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 18,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 15,000.

St. Joseph, Sept. 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,500.
HOGS—Receipts, 5,500; top, $8.45; 15c lower.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2,500.

Todays Market

Cream, per lb	41c
Eggs, per dozen	28c
Hens, per lb	14 to 18c
Springs per lb	18c
Cox per lb	6c
Ducks per lb	11c
Geese per lb	8c
Hides per lb	4c

Conception Junction News

Miss Agnes Lager, who is to be married to Joseph Stoll September 18 received a shower of valuable gifts on September 11.

The crowd met at the opera house at Clyde and an enjoyable evening was spent in dancing. Refreshments of cake and lemonade were served.

Nadene Erlene, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Alsbury, died at their home on Wabash Ave. in Conception last Wednesday. Her death was caused by a complication of diseases. Interment was made in the High Ridge Cemetery at Stanberry.

A False Alarm

During the storm the other evening word was spread rapidly that there was a fire in town. Immediately there was a clanging and banging as the fire engine was hurried out of the garage. It started up the street at a great rate of speed with half the men in town running after it. When they finally arrived at their destination they discovered that there was no fire at all. Everybody denied starting the rumor.

Dr. and Mrs. Farrell are going to move to Philadelphia some time in the near future. The doctor is going to enter a hospital there as physician.

The fire truck was called to the home of A. Wilcox Sunday, Sept. 9. The fire was caused by the explosion of an oil stove. As the fire was quickly extinguished, little damage was done.

Mr. C. E. Thompson Sr., a brakeman on a Chicago Great Western freight train, was badly hurt when the train stopped suddenly and threw him through the caboose door between the caboose and a freight car. No bones were broken, but his back is severely sprained and he may be hurt inwardly.

A. L. Meeker, conductor on same train was also hurt but not badly.

SHELL GROVE ITEMS.

Quite a number of people in this community were disappointed Sunday, as they were planning to attend the basket dinner which was to be held in the basement of the Methodist Church at Wilcox. The dinner was to be held in honor of the return of the pastor, Rev. M. L. Shemwell, who has been attending the conference.

A. J. Holt, who has over four hundred goats running in his pasture, says he honestly believes that the goats can kill out brush and weeds easier and quicker than he can with an axe and scythe.

Mr. Piveral baled the timothy hay on the R. T. Hughbanks place and hauled it to Wilcox, where he is loading a car to ship it. Wilbert Morton and Harry Piveral helped him haul it.

Sam Taylor helped Lawrence Hart of Clearmont put up hay last week.

Guest at James Home

J. R. Sickles arrived in Maryville Sunday night from Enid, Okla., to join Mrs. Stickles and little son, Jimmie, who have been guests at the home of Mrs. Sickles' parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. C. James, for several months.

Mrs. Matt C. Gwinn and Miss Mary Edna Gwinn, motored to St. Joseph Saturday to see Jane Cowl in "Romeo and Juliet" at the Lyceum.

WANTED—Girl roomers, also boarders. 710 N. Walnut. 15-18*

FOR RENT—One nicely furnished room for two boys. Inquire 411 N. Mulberry St. S.12tf

FOR RENT—Beautiful room in Brewer Apartment, close in, call Hanama 6624. tf

WANTED—100 mules, call and see me or phone me I will call and invoice them. I have no agents. Jim Andy Ford, Hanamo 31, Farmers 161. A31tf

BUY, SELL OR EXCHANGE — Stoves, furniture and rugs. Case Furniture Exchange. S2-02

The Three Disgraces

AH YOU DON'T WANT TO HURT ME FRIENDS. YOU SEE WE ALL HANG TOGETHER
HEE-HEE. WHAT 'CHER DOIN' WIT' DE FUNNY DORG?
NOW IF WE COULD ONLY ELIMINATE THE BIG ONE IN THE MIDDLE—
CORRUPT POLITICIAN
BOOTLEGGER
GRAFTER
LAW ENFORCEMENT
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Four-Brake Oakland Other Improvements

The 1924 series of Oaklands, with four-wheel brakes, a complete new chassis, L-head motors and distinctively different color finish have been introduced.

With all the improvements the prices of the Oakland's new models have been reduced, the cuts ranging from $30 on the roadster to $150 on the sedan.

Ten Major Changes.

The following features give a bird's-eye view of the changes in design:

Four wheel brakes.
L-head 6-cylinder engine.
Full automatic spark control.
New chassis.
New line bodies, all by Fisher.
Blue, standard color on all models.
Disc steel wheels, standard equipment.

All hand controls on steering column.

Instruments grouped in glass covered panel, indirectly lighted.

Tops on open models permanent, with new type door opening side curtains.

The four wheel brakes are of the external contracting type, the only adjustment necessary being at the bands. The use of demountable disc steel wheels on all models facilitates adjustment and simplifies changing tires. The mechanism on the front wheels is so arranged that if brakes are applied when turning a corner, the brake on the outside front wheel releases while the brake on the inside wheel is applied with increased pressure, thus eliminating any tendency to skid. Oakland engineers assert the brakes have been designed so that it is impossible to th front wheels on a dry pavement,

The L-head six-cylinder engine replaces the valve-in-head type of previous Oaklands.

Engine Is in Units.

The crankcase and cylinder block are separate units, a desirable feature from the standpoint of manufacture and service, while the new engine is provided with better cooling. The engine's efficiney, both in horsepower and torque, is greater at all speeds than any Oakland engine of the same size previously built.

Bodies are wider, deeper and more luxuriously upholstered. Hood and cowl have been widened, giving a roomier driving empartment, while an aluminum beading where the hood joins cowl gives a finished touch. The standard touring car and roadster are finished in Holland blue, with a fine red stripe on the beading and around the wheel hubs. A slightly darker shade of blue is used on the closed models. Fenders, running boards, shields and the upper structure of the closed models are finished in black. Sport models are finished in a special light Oakland blue, with orange striping.

Demountable disc steel wheels are standard on all models, each car being supplied with an extra wheel. Oakland is one of the first medium priced cars to include this equipment without extra charge.

The throttle, choker, horn button, ignition and lighting switches are all centralized in the middle of the steering wheel.

As a result of the Oakland permanent tops on the open models, side curtains are fitted more closely. A ledge along the lower edge of the top permits of snug fitting and rods are provided for the curtains on the doors. Special glass inclosures for both touring and roadster bodies may be purchased.

The business coupe of a new Oakland model seats three comfortably. The upper structure is of metal, covered with a special material of leather texture, with attractive bows on each side.

All open models are upholstered in genuine leather, the sport models in Spanish leather. The tops on the sport models are of khaki material.

The new prices at the factory:

Standard roadster and touring car	$ 945
Sport roadster and touring car	1,095
Three passenger business coupe	1,195
Four passenger coupe	1,345
Sedan	1,395

WILLYS KNIGHT

price reduced to $1175

5-pass. Touring	Now $1175
2-pass. Roadster	Now $1175
7-pass. Touring	Now $1325
5-pass. Country Club	Now $1635
5-pass. Coupe-Sedan	Now $1550
5-pass. Sedan	Now $1795
7-pass. Sedan	Now $1995

All prices f. o. b. Toledo. We reserve the right to change prices and specifications without notice

OVERLAND PRICES ALSO GREATLY REDUCED

Sewell Auto Co.

West Fourth Street, Maryville, Mo.

CATTLE STRONGER—HOGS STEADY—LAMBS LOWER

Kansas City Stock Yards, Sept. 17—Cattle receipts today, 33,000, were smaller than on any Monday since the middle of August. The decrease was due to heavy rains in the West and Southwest that prevented shipping and delayed trains in other cases. Demand was active at steady to strong prices. Hogs held steady at last week's decline. Sheep and lambs, which sold at the high point of the season last week, were 25 to 40 cents lower today, owing to the heavy shipments at all markets.

Today's Receipts

Receipts, today were 33,000 cattle, 20,000 hogs and 19,000 sheep, compared with 41,000 cattle, 14,000 hogs and 18,000 sheep a year ago, and 36,700 cattle, 8,525 hogs and 36,700 sheep a year ago.

Beef Cattle

Comparatively few fed cattle were offered and they were mostly of the short fed varieties that sold at $9.75 to $11.25. A few better kinds, up to $11.75. In Chicago there was heavy run of that class and they sold 25 cents lower there. The bulk of the cattle here were grass fat grades and they were ready sale at steady to strong prices, compared with last weeks close. Prices for them ranged from $4.25 for common, off color kinds up to $8.25 for good heavy fat grass steers. Some wintered summer grazed steers brought $8.00 to $9.50. Cows and heifers were in active demand at firm prices. Local killers are buying freely and there was a good shipping demand. Veal calves sold readily at strong prices and bulls were steady.

Stockers and Feeders

The principal decrease in receipts of cattle was in stockers and feeders and demand was active at strong to 15 cents higher prices. The better kinds showed the advance but all classes sold readily.

Hogs

Hog prices were steady at the outset with shippers, the principal buyers. Later it was evident that the run would exceed the early estimate and with the eastern markets lower, prices here weakened and closed 10 cents lower. The top price was $8.60 and the bulk of the offerings sold at $8.25 to $8.55. Packing sows sold $7.00 to $7.25 and pigs at $6.75 to $7.35. A good clearance was reported.

Sheep and Lambs

Western lambs were 15 to 25 cents lower at $13.50 to $13.85 and native lambs off 25 to 40 cents at $12.75 to $13.00. Receipts here, in Omaha and Chicago were the largest of the season, and prices in Omaha and Chicago were quoted down 50 cents to $1. Shorts, however, were light and weights heavy, owing to wet fleeces.

Horses and Mules

Receipts of horses and mules were liberal and the best classes continued to find a ready outlet at steady prices. Others sold slowly.

PARNELL NEWS.

(Eighth Grade).

Mr. and Mrs. Birdsie White and son, Bonnie and Mr. and Mrs. McFarlen of Omaha, Nebr., motored to Parnell Friday evening to visit friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cox and daughters, Myrtle, Cora and Clara of Parnell returned Sunday afternoon from a visit in Atchison, Kansas.

On Sunday, September 9, a birthday dinner was served at the home of Will Powers in honor of Mr. Power's birthday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Powers, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Adams and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lorn Powers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hudson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Beatly and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Hovencotter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Cox and family, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Walters and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Adams and family.

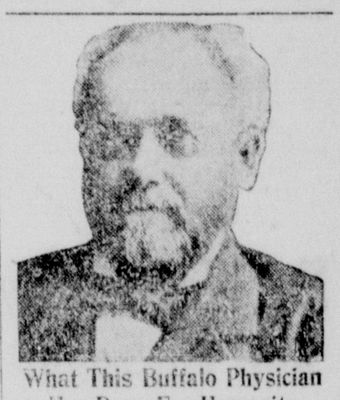
Ira Barnes and family of near Oxford and Miss Merle Myers of Worth visited at the home of C. C. Myers Sunday, September 9.

Miss Lois Trump of York, Nebr. visited several days last week with her sister, Mrs. C. C. Myers of Parnell. Miss Trump was one of the Parnell teachers three years ago.

Warranty Deed

Twenty-five feet square of the east end of lot one block three of the original town of Skidmore was transferred by a warranty deed today by Elizabeth A. Dillon of Skidmore to William J. Good. The consideration was $50.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.



What This Buffalo Physician Has Done For Humanity

The picture which appears here of Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, N. Y., was taken in 1910. As a young man Dr. Pierce practised medicine in Pennsylvania and was known far and wide for his great success in alleviating disease. He early moved to Buffalo and put up in ready-to-use form, his Golden Medical Discovery, the well-known tonic for the blood. This strength-builder is made from a formula which Dr. Pierce found most effective in diseases of the blood. It contains no alcohol and is an extract of native roots with the ingredients plainly stated on the wrapper. Good red blood, vim, vigor and vitality are sure to follow if you take this Alterative Extract. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery clears away pimples and annoying eruptions and tends to keep the complexion fresh and clear. This Discovery corrects the disordered conditions in a sick stomach, aids digestion, acts as a tonic and purifies the blood. Write Dr. Pierce's Invalids Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., and receive confidential medical advice without charge. All druggists sell Discovery, tablets or liquid. Send 10c for trial pkg.

WOMAN SO ILL COULD NOT WORK

Gained Strength, Weight and Now Doing Own Work, by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Marion, Ind.—"I was all run-down, nervous and bent over. I could hardly drag around, let alone do my work. I read some letters in the papers telling what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had done for others and I thought I would try it. Then a man told my husband about his wife and what good it had done her and wanted him to have me try it. I took one bottle and could see what it did for me in a week's time, and when I had taken three bottles I had gained both in strength and weight and was doing my own work. I took it before my last baby was born and it helped me so much. I sure am glad to recommend the Vegetable Compound to any woman who suffers from female ailments, for I know by experience what it can do. I have used Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash, also the Liver Pills, too, and think them fine."—Mrs. WM. ELDRIDGE, 620 E. Grant Street, Marion, Indiana.

A record of nearly fifty years service should convince you of the merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound.

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HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will do what we claim for it—rid your system of Catarrh or Deafness caused by Catarrh. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh for over Forty Years.

Sold by all druggists.
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CUT FLOWERS

Roses, Gladiolias, Asters, Dahlias and Carnations. Large assortment of Potted Plants at KISSINGER GREEN HOUSES, Black-tooth Hill, Hanamo 371.

NODAWAY COUNTY OVERSCR BES QUOTA

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Conception

Father Placidus.

Graham

Dan McGrew, Dr. M. M. Rhader, Dr. E. M. Findley, F. D. Mowry, M. W. Mowry, Clyde Long, Ralph Scott, James Scott, W. F. Adkins, Willis-Lucas Lumber Co., D. M. Mowry, Eckles Meat Market, Rose Geyer, Homer Medsker.

Bussell's Store, R. H. Swank, Citizens Bank, Geyer Hdw. Co., Charles Wallace, Dr. E. L. Morgan, Guy Hilsabeck, J. N. Schmidt, W. H. Morris, L. J. Talbott, James Kavanaugh, Wiley Lankford, Curt Russell.

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M. Goodson & Co., E. W. Bishop, Elizabeth Flynn, George B. Loomis, Newton Long, William J. Wygal, Thos. B. David, Charles R. DeLong, Harry B. Rutledge.

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Skidmore

The Farmers Bank of Skidmore, George Patterson, Manchester Dodds, Dr. J. C. Manning, Skidmore Drug Co., Barrett Merc. Co., Farmers & Merc. Co., L. W. Garnett, R. B. Foster, Frank Manchester, J. E. Pierpoint, W. G. Reynolds, Wayman McGinness.

E. J. French, J. O. Miller, Chas. Beverlin, Skidmore News, J. W. Weddle, Reese Bros., O. K. Garage, J. W. Pierce, The Bank of Skidmore, D. W. A. Hayner, Harry Hoblitzell.

OKLAHOMA TOWN OF 9,000 HAS NO CEMETERY.

Picher, Okla., Spt. 18.—Picher is believed to be the only town of its size in the United States that does not have a burial ground. There are 9,000 inhabitants and the town has been in existence nine years, without a cemetery.

Picher has two undertaking establishments, and they conduct an average of 300 funerals a year, none of which end here.

There is little probability that a cemetery ever will be established here as all land is under lease to mining interests. In the meantime Picher buries her dead in Miami, nearby.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

To Celebrate 5th Studio Anniversary

Miss Alma M. Nash will celebrate the fifth anniversary of the opening of her studio in Kansas City with a reception November 1, according to Sunday's issue of the Kansas City Journal-Post. The article follows:

Miss Alma M. Nash, teacher of plectral instruments, will celebrate the fifth anniversary of the opening of her studio in Kansas City with a reception November 1, at Submarine hall, to be followed by a concert by two plectral orchestras composed entirely of mandolins, guitars, banjos and ukeleles numbering about sixty-five pieces. Miss Nash has had professional experience in both band and orchestra work, having played drums and tympani for several seasons with Vassar's ladies' band under Herman Belstedt, and more recently with the Kansas City Conservatory symphony orchestra under Andreas Volpe. The Nash studio has enrolled more than 500 pupils during its existence in the city and for the current year announces that practically all classes are filled.

T. C. U. GOES THROUGH LIGHT WORK AND "SKULL" PRACTICE

Fort Worth, Tex., Sept. 18—Coach Matty Bell of T. C. U. has forty husky Texans out for football with promises of more. Coach Bell is pursuing a program of gradual conditioning, giving his team "skull' practice and light calisthenics.

Of the varsity veterans, "Big Jim" Cantrell is reported to be in the best shape to start the season. Jim played at tackle and end during the 1922 season, but it wouldn't be a surprise, Bell says, to see Cantrell step in at fullback when the Chrisitans make their bow against the Oklahoma Aggies.

The majority of the other candidates are in fairly good condition. Coach Bell reports, and the two practices a day are having a marked effect upon them.

Most of the aspirants as usual are seeking backfield positions, but according to get a berth behind the line "one must know his okra."

TOWN OF MYSTERIES PRODUCES NEW MURDER BAFFLER NOTE.

Nearman, Kans., Sept. 18.—Mysteriously a "murder victim's" note, presumably written by a woman, reached authorities. Mysteriously the sheriff scratches his head.

And the town where Arthur Conan Doyle might well set up his work bench to advantage had another serious problem to solve. The "murder note" was found by a fisherman whose shanty is on the river bank, near Nearman. He conveyed it to Sheriff Bob Maher. It read:

"My body will be in the river within fifty feet of the bank. William Evans brought me here in his car. My feet are tied; so are my hands and wrists. Am writing while he is up on the railroad."

How, Sheriff Maher pondered, could the woman—as the note conveys—write when her hands, feet and wrists were tied? Who is William Evans and who is the author of the anonymous note?

Following true Nearman mystery style, this latest one has someone disappearing, but yet no one is missing.

To Wisconsin University

Chilton Robinson left today to enter the University of Wisconsin at Madison after spending the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robinson. En route to Madison he will spend a few days with friends in Des Moines, Ia., where he attended Drake Univeristy for three years.

Miss Sadie Aley resumed work at the Graham store yesterday morning after a month's vacation.

Gates & Son to Have Sale on October 10

Farmers in this county are beginning to look hopefully on the hog market and with advance in prices there is an optimistic tone among them at the approach of tax paying time because the hog, as usual, will meet that obligation. Much interest is shown in the sale announced by John D. Gates & Son, Ravenwood, October 10, who will offer some of the best types of Spotted Poland-China gilts and young boars, as well as sows bred to some of the winners in the recent hig shows of the country. Mr. Obenchain, who has made an extended survey, says that the fall sales will offer the best opportunity to the farmers in this country to obtain pure bred hogs at a reasonable price. He says all signs point to higher prices, beginning early in the new year.

Dr. Jackson To Canada

Dr. Charles S. Jackson left last Firday night to look after land interests near Kindersley, Saskatchewan, Canada. He expects to be away about two weeks.

Two Injured When Car Crashes Into Wagon

Mrs. T. F. Combs of Maryville and Joe House of Burlington Junction are Bruised.

Mrs. T. F. Combs of North Main and Joe House of Burlington Junction were injured last Friday evening when an automobile ran into the rear end of a wagon. The accident happened near what is known as the Bovard cornr, on the northwest edge of Maryville.

Mrs. Combs was with her husband, who was driving a wagon loaded with long poles. They were coming into the city. The automobile was also going the same direction and was trying to pass the wagon. When the car struck the wagon Mrs. Combs was thrown from the vehicle under the horses and was partially run over by the wagon. Joe House, who was in the car driven by Charles Kelley, was struck by the poles and his arm was severely injured. House was brought to Maryville and Dr. H. S. Dowell dressed his wound. Mrs. Combs was bruised and was taken to Dr. W. B. Heryford.

House has the drug store and Kelley is a lineman on the telephone line, both now located at Burlington Junction. Joe Myers happened to come along about the time of the collision and brought Mrs. Combs to the city.

MARLAND SAYS OIL PRICE CUTTING ORGY DEMORALIZING

Ponca City, Okla., Sept. 18—An orgy of price cutting, which has created a war between the various units of the oil and petroleum industry, has demoralized the industry to such an extent that it is impossible to the products at prices which represent the cost of production, E. W. Marland president of the Marland Refining company, declares.

Mr. Marland in a communication to the board of directors of the company said the losses entailed in this price war are falling heaviest on the producing branch of the industry.

"The refineries in the Mid-continent section are suffering losses on account of the demoralizing condition on the market," he added.

"As long as this condition shall continue, we shall conserve our financial resources until markets furnish an opportunity to market the production on a basis that will afford a reasonable profit," Marland said.

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